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ALL GLADIOLUS enthusiasts receiving this catalogue can rest assured that I am presenting to you one of the finest collections ever offered. Where none are quoted in the hundreds, I cannot furnish them, except as per catalogue. Some years ago I placed on the American market Madam Mounet Sully, and from time to time I am placing more of the French varieties on the market. You are always sure of getting original stock from deGroat's.

PRICE LIST AND DESCRIPTION

- ALBANIA. A splendid white with wide open flowers four inches in diameter; petals broad with finely ruffled edges. **15c each. 12 for \$1.50.**
- ALICE TIPLADY. Popular orange prim. **5c each. 12 for 50c.**
- AMERICA. Large flower, flesh pink. **4c each. 12 for 40c. 100 for \$3.00.**
- ANNA EBERIUS. Deep Rhodamine purple, shading into very deep bordeaux center. **10c each. 12 for \$1.00.**
- ANNA LAURIE. A ruffled pink of exquisite beauty. Placed on the market last year for the first. **35c each. 12 for \$3.50. 350**
- BARON HULOT. Finest dark blue. **7c each. 12 for 70c. 100 for \$5.00.**
- BETTY JOY. Soft creamy white flushed LaFrance pink, strong grower, long flower spikes with 6 to 10 perfect flowers opening at a time. **50c each. 12 for \$5.00.**
- BEACON FLAME. A fine large red. **10c each. 12 for \$1.00.**
- BLUE JAY. Fine light blue, splashed with white. **15c each. 12 for \$1.50. 100 for \$12.00.**
- BREAK O'DAY. Massive spikes, color, LaFrance pink flushed over a cream ground and shade is deeper at tips of petals. Blooms extra early. In considered the most striking early variety ever produced. **25c each. 12 for \$2.50.**
- BYRON L. SMITH. Most refined lavender pink on white ground. Very fine as a cut flower. Color equal to an Orchid. **15c each. 12 for \$1.50.**
- CAPTAIN FERBER. Pale plum violet, spotted amaranth. French variety. **25c each. 12 for \$2.75.**
- CHARLEMAGNE. Very large, open flowers; color sunrise red, flaked darker; marked magnificently. French variety. **10c each. 12 for \$1.00. 100 for \$9.00.**
- CHICADEE. Very dainty and airy, an extra early variety of merit, Eosine pink with light yellow blotches on lower petals. **10c each. 12 for 75c.**
- CRIMSON GLOW. Large crimson; best all around crimson ever offered, extra choice. **10c each. 12 for \$1.00. 100 for \$8.00.**
- DR. F. E. BENNETT. Deep peach red overlaid with flame scarlet; lip speckled ruby and white. Most fiery red imaginable. Flowers of the very largest size with many open at once. **35c each. 12 for \$3.50. 250**
- EARLY SNOWFLAKE. White, delicately flaked and tinted rose, with a barium yellow throat, slightly splashed with rose deep in throat. **10c each. 12 for \$1.00.**
- EDOUARD GREGG. Bright rose blotched amaranth. French variety. **50c each. 12 for \$5.50**
- E. J. SHAYLOR. Fine ruffled rose pink. **10c each. 12 for \$1.00.**
- ELECTRA. Bright and pleasing brick red; one of the earliest varieties. **10c each. 12 for \$1.00.**
- ELORA. White, slightly flushed pink; throat sulphur-yellow with a carmine blotch. A Burbank production, very early. **10c each. 12 for \$1.00.**
- ETENDARD. Cream white, center dark red; very fine French variety. **10c each. 12 for \$1.00. 100 for \$9.00.**
- EUGENE LEFEBVRE. Bright pink, throat spotted and dotted purplish amaranth and cream. French variety. **20c each. 12 for \$2.00. 100 for \$15.00.**
- EUROPA. A very fine white Glad of perfect form, mid-season. **15c each. 12 for \$1.50.**
- EVELYN KIRTLAND. Beautiful rose pink, darker at the edges, fading to shell pink at the center, with brilliant scarlet blotches on lower petals. Many open at one time. Wonderfully decorative. **8c each. 12 for 75c. 100 for \$7.00.**
- EMILE AUBURN. Immense blooms, coppery bronze blotched cherry. New Lemoine, in great demand. **5c each. 500**
- GEN. LANGLOIS. Magnificent flower; maroon, interior petals spotted beautifully; another French variety. **25c each. 12 for \$2.50.**
- GENERAL PERSHING. Large pale pink. **10c each. 12 for \$1.00. 100 for \$9.00.**
- GENERAL SUERDOFF. XXXX Light pale blue running into lavender. Interior petals spotted. **25c each. 12 for \$2.75.**
- GLADDIE BOY. A prize winner wherever shown. The color is very distinctive, the general effect being a Granadine pink, gradually blending with straw yellow deep in the center. The petals are most gracefully frilled. **50c each. 12 for \$5.00.**
- GLORIANA. A beautiful light salmon pink with cream yellow throat. **5c each. 300**
- GOLDEN KING. Brilliant Golden yellow, with intense crimson blotch in throat. One of the best yellows. **5c each. 12 for 50c. 100 for \$4.00.**
- GOLDEN MEASURE. One of the finest yellows. Self color, strong spike. **15c each.**
- GIANT NYMPH. Immense rose pink flowers with creamy yellow throats borne on tall erect spikes, one of the finest. **25c each. 12 for \$2.50.**
- HALLEY. The earliest pink. **5c each. 12 for 50c.**
- HERADA. Pure mauve with deeper markings in throat. **10c each. 12 for \$1.00.**
- JACOBA VAN BEYREN. A recent introduction, fine variety. Extraordinary violet self-color, well placed on tall perfect spike. Growth strong, with a color that none other of its class can equal. **15c each.**
- JEAN du TAILLES. XXXX Large Salmon flowers, blotched with maroon; another fine French variety. **15c each. 12 for \$1.50. 100 for \$12.00.**
- JENNIE LIND. Shrimp-pink deepening to Geranium pink at tips of petals. Flowers tubular. Spike compact. Flowers ruffled and edges rolled back. Should be in every high class collection. **20c each.**
- JEWELL. Rose pink shading into yellow. Extra fine. **15c each. 12 for \$1.50.**
- JOE COLEMAN. Ruffled red, many open. **10c each. 12 for \$1.00.**
- LA COUROUNE. Broad flowers, cream white, throat blotched and maroon. **25c each.**

- LA MARECHAL FOCH. Very early. Charming rose-pink, large flowers, wide open.
10c each. 12 for \$1.00.
- LE CID. Large, brilliant scarlet; another fine French variety. 25c each. 12 for \$2.50.
- LILLYWHITE. Pure snow white. Very early. 10c each. 12 for \$1.00.
- L'IMACULEE. A very fine white. 10c each. 12 for \$1.00. 100 for \$7.00.
- LITTLE DIAMOND. Kunderd's ruffled pink, dainty. 16c each. 12 for \$1.00.
- LOUISE. Very dainty lavender, closely resembles a Cattlye orchid. 15c each.
- LUCETTE. As seen growing in the fields it appears to be absolutely pure white, but back of petals carry a trace of phlox pink which imparts an alluring orchid sheen to the flowers. 10c each. 12 for 75c.
- MADAM MOUNET SULLY. Cream white with red center; one of the finest French varieties. Very popular. ~~25c each. 12 for \$2.50.~~ 2.75
- MADAM SARAH BERNHARDT. Pale mauve pink, strong blotches of a crimson purple edged sulphur, very early. Exceptionally fine French variety.
25c each. 12 for \$2.75.
- MARSHAL FOCH. Kunderd's large ruffled pink. Very fine. 15c each.
- MARY PICKFORD. White with lemon lip. 10c each. 12 for \$1.00.
- MARY STEWART. Our own production. Creamy pink, deeper on tips, lower petals at base; blotched crimson on yellow ground. 16c each. 12 for \$1.00.
- METEOR. Brick-red. Large. 10c each. 12 for \$1.00. 100 for \$8.00.
- M. FERDINAND CAYEAUX. Dark yellow with reddish center. Fine French variety.
25c each. 12 for \$2.75.
- MILADY. (Ruffled). Extra tall, strong ruffled variety of creamy white. Naples yellow throat with heavy Amaranth purple feather. Very strong prolific grower.
10c each. 12 for 75c.
- MIXTURE. Exceptionally fine mixture. 3c each. 100 for \$2.00.
- MRS. DOCTOR NORTON. White with edges suffused with pink; lower petals blotched sulphur yellow speckled with tyrian rose. This variety has received highest awards wherever exhibited. 15c each. 12 for \$1.00. 100 for \$9.00.
- MRS. F. C. PETERS. Amaranth pink with a purplish blot in the throat; tall straight spike. Many flowers open at once. 15c each. 12 for \$1.50.
- MRS. F. C. HORNBERGER. Without a doubt the world's finest white.
\$1.00 each. 12 for \$10.00.
- MRS. FRANCES KING. Flame pink; very popular. 4c each. 100 for \$3.00.
- MRS. FRANK PENDLETON. Bright pink with two tones and rich carmine, very popular.
7c each. 12 for 75c. 100 for \$6.00.
- MR. MARK. Light blue with dark spot. 15c each. 12 for \$1.50. 100 for \$10.00.
- MR. W. H. PHIPPS. LaFrance pink overlaid with light rose salmon, lighter toward the center. Lower petals very faintly striped and speckled with ruby. Flowers enormous. A master-piece in Gladiolus. 46c each. 12 for \$3.75.
- MRS. W. E. FRYER. Poppy-red, with amber-white throat, and a blotch of crimson-red.
6c each. 12 for 65c. 100 for \$5.00.
- MRS. H. R. WHITNEY. A refined dark orange Prim; excellent for table decorations.
10c each. 12 for \$1.00.
- MRS. LEON DOUGLAS. Enormous rose colored blossoms striped with scarlet. Extra long spikes. This is one of the largest "glads" in existence. Exceedingly beautiful. 25c each. 12 for \$2.50.
- NIAGARA. Soft primrose yellow—giant type, throat tinted with carmine.
6c each. 12 for 65c. 100 for \$4.50.
- OPALESCENT. Wonderful spikes of very large pale rose lavender. A pure self color with soft lilac throat lines. 15c each. 12 for \$1.50.
- PANAMA. Pink seedling of America, but several shades darker; very popular.
5c each. 12 for 50c. 100 for \$4.00.
- PEACE. Giant white, lower petals marked with dark carmine.
6c each. 12 for 50c. 100 for \$4.00.
- PINK PERFECTION. Bright pink, very large flower. 8c each. 12 for 85c. 100 for \$5.00.
- PRIMULINUS. All yellow, popular. 5c each. 12 for 50c.
- PRINCE OF WALES. Delicate salmon pink, early, very popular.
16c each. 12 for \$1.00. 100 for \$7.00.
- PURPLE GLORY. One of Kunderd's best, deepest velvety maroon red, with almost black blotches like burned into the petals. 15c each. 12 for \$1.50.
- PRIORITY. A beautiful pink, tall, straight and strong; Venetian pink, shading darker toward the tips; faint central lines and feather of deep rose pink. A sure winner.
15c each. 12 for \$1.50.
- QUEEN OF THE BLACKS. XXXX Very dark red; a distinct novelty; finest dark we know of. Rare. 15c each. 12 for \$1.50. 100 for \$8.00.
- RED EMPEROR. Large deep scarlet of immense size. 15c each. 12 for \$1.50.
- ROSE ASH. One of the most popular flowers in any garden. The color is old rose, blended with ashes of roses; wonderful combination of colors; ruffled, tall, straight spikes; always attracts the eye. 10c each. 12 for \$1.00.
- SCRIBE. Tinted white, streaked with fine crimson. 10c each. 12 for \$1.00.
- SCHWABEN. Sulphur yellow with crimson stripes; extra fine. 7c each. 12 for 70c.
- TRIOMPHE de CAIN. White slightly tinted with rose. Fench variety.
25c each. 12 for \$2.75.

TYCKO ZANG. Salmon pink blooms over five inches in diameter, with usually four petals per large bloom averaging two inches in diameter. Spike fifty-three inches tall. **50c each. 12 for \$2.50.**

THEDA. Large shrimp-pink blossoms with soft yellow throat; tall stems, extra early, much admired at our gardens this past season. **10c each. 12 for \$1.00.**

VANITY. Delicate LaFrance Pink flushed over cream ground; very large flowers of airy graceful type with slightly reflexed petals. **15c each. 12 for \$1.50.**

WABAN. A fine bright red, new. **25c each.**

WAR. Extra dark scarlet. **6c each. 12 for 65c.**

WHITE WONDER. Almost pure white; faintly flaked rose-pink. A very large flower well set on the spike and many open at a time. Very popular. **15c each.**



At Our Gardens During 1928 Season
Thousands of Visitors

You Are Welcome!
